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OFFICIAL**AMENDMENT**

In an Office action dated December 6, 2000, the Examiner identified claims 3-8 as being drawn to a transmitter, and claims 11-14 as drawn to a receiver, and required a restriction.

Applicants respectfully traverse because it is applicant's view that the transmitter and the receiver claims all relate to the same invention. Nevertheless, in compliance with the Examiner's requirement, the first group of claims-- comprising claims 3-8 -- is hereby elected.

Should a fee need to be charged to effect this election, the Assistant Commissioner is authorized to charge AT&T Corp. Deposit Account No. 01-2745, as required.

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